

Facility Integration

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Oakland Scientific Facility Computer Room (19,000 sq ft)









Flexible Cooling Capabilities

- NERSC-6 area 5,000 sq ft.
- OSF can support
 - Air cooling using chilled water Air Handling Units
 - Liquid cooling using direct chilled water connections





Power and Cooling

	Power (including cooling)	Cooling
OSF	6MW	1450 tons
N6	3.3MW	700 tons

• Did major upgrade to facility power and cooling in 2005

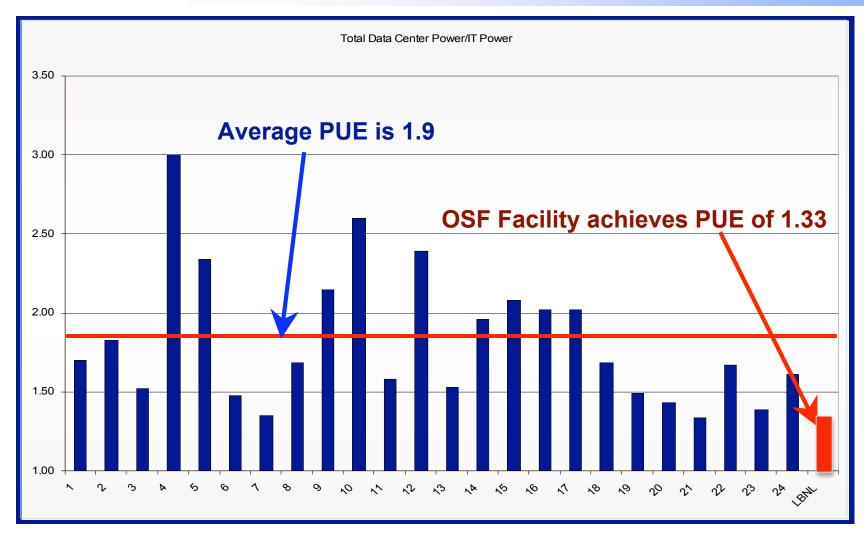






Power Usage Effectiveness (PUE)

OSF is a very efficient facility



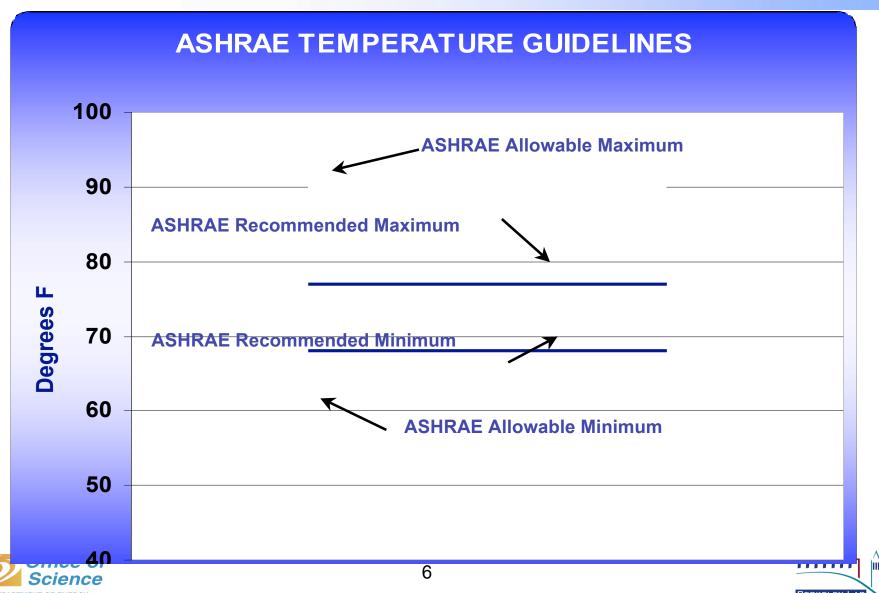






ASHRAE Temperature Guidelines

(opportunity to further improve cooling efficiency)





Power Efficiency for NERSC-6

Minimum Requirements

- < 3.3MW total power consumption with cooling</p>
- 480VAC 3-phase power for efficient distribution

Performance Features

- Operate at upper-end of ASHRAE allowable temperature range to improve cooling efficiency (PUE)
- Consideration for other power-efficiency features (lower SSP/Watt and increased cooling efficiency







Seismic Protection

Work Safe Technologies: ISO-Base









System Delivery, Installation, and Integration

- 1. Test/development system delivered and installed
- 2. Formal factory test to assess readiness of system for shipment
 - Includes both functional and performance testing
- 3. System is installed, seismically protected, interconnect cabled
- 4. Vendor stabilizes system and initial performance testing takes place
- 5. System is configured for production and integrated with NERSC software infrastructure
- 6. Performance tuning to reach committed performance levels







Software Integration

- Center Infrastructure
 - Grid
 - OSG software stack
 - NIM
 - Centralized account and allocation management
 - HPSS Archive
 - · Hsi, htar, pftp
 - LDAP
 - OpenLDAP infrastructure for authentication
 - Nagios
 - Centralized system, fabric and storage monitoring

- User Software environment
 - Batch scheduler configuration
 - User development environment
 - Compilers
 - Debuggers
 - Profiling and performance analysis
 - Libraries
 - Third-party applications







Security Integration

Before general access:

24/7 Vulnerability Scanning and Jailing

Anti-Virus Anti-Spam

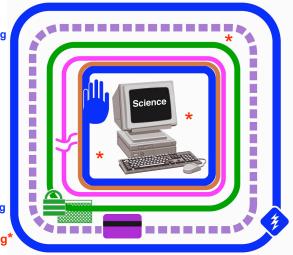
Segregation of Responsibilities/Accounts

Access Controls & Authentication (Passwords)

One Time Token Authentication

Bro (Active Blocking Routers)

Internal Monitoring



- System is isolated from the outside and other systems
- System is examined and hardened
- System is scanned for vulnerabilities
- System receives DOE Authority to Operate







Nagios Integration

- Nagios is an Open Source host, service and network monitoring program.
- Nagios customized for each system with plugins.
 - Monitors system health through polling services, eg ssh, ping
 - Plugins can process email messages, logs
 - Plugins for gathering and reporting system environmental health
 - Plugins to monitor the health of disk subsystems, network routers
- Nagios can interface with monitoring services provided by the vendor operating system.
- Integration time 2 weeks



